

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Koji YANAI et al. : Docket No. 2001_1611

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β-FRUCTOFURANOSIDASE AND ITS GENE, METHOD OF ISOLATING β-FRUCTOFURANOSIDASE GENE, SYSTEM FOR PRODUCING β-FRUCTOFURANOSIDASE, AND β- FRUCTOFURANOSIDASE VARIANT

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Amendment filed September 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: